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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Deputy Director (Administration)

SUBJECT: Facilities for

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REFERENCE: Memorandum for the Acting Deputy Director (Administration), dated 26 August 1953, subject: Facilities for the Washington Depot

1. By reference above, a project outlined for additional facilities for the was transmitted to the Acting Deputy Director (Administration).

2. The requirements for these facilities were reviewed on 4 September 1953 with the DDCI, the DD/A, the Assistant Director for Communications, the Chief of Logistics, the Chief of Technical Operations/TSS, and other representatives. Certain questions were raised concerning the Communications Engineering facility and the requirement for air conditioning in the TSS shop area. The areas in question have been reviewed by this office and the following information is submitted:

a. The estimates for the Communication Engineering building as submitted contained a requirement for three-phase electricity in that building. When the TSS facilities are installed, three-phase power will be available to the Communications Test and Evaluation Section adjoining.

b. A building with doors at both ends can be provided for the Communications Engineering shop for an estimated increased cost of \$3,000.00. Relocation is required, resulting in increases in the cost of power, water and sewage facilities, and paving in the new location.

c. Elimination of air conditioning in one of the three shop areas in the TSS facility will result in an initial saving of only \$500.00. Should air conditioning be eliminated in one of the shop areas, a five ton air conditioning unit would be required in lieu of a 7½ ton unit for the three areas, the difference in cost being approximately \$500.00. Installation costs will be approximately the same in both instances.

for 15/ AKS
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 Chief of Logistics

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